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In re Application of:)
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Steven E. GARDELL et al.) Group Art Unit: 2668
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Application No.: 09/177,700) Examiner: Hanh N. Nguyen
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For: MULTI-LINE APPEARANCE)
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Sir:

PRE-GRANT APPLICATION FOR PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b), Applicants hereby apply for a patent term adjustment under 35 U.S.C. § 154(b) of 785 days. This application is being filed with the issue fee payment, in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b).

I. Statement of the Facts Involved

A. Correct Patent Term Adjustment and Basis for the Adjustment

Applicants received the Determination of Patent Term Adjustment with the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed from the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) on December 14, 2005, stating that this application is entitled to 0 days of patent term adjustment. However, Applicants have calculated a patent term adjustment of 785 days as set forth below.

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As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b)(1), this application is accompanied by a check for \$200.00 to cover the required fee. Please charge any deficiencies to our Deposit Account No. 07-2347. If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this request, please charge them to our Deposit Account No. 07-2347.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: March 9, 2006

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